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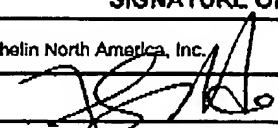
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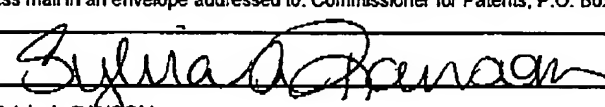
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A replacement claim set is provided beginning on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.